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### Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

INSTALMENT received on NEW SHARES....

\$5,926,765.69 ...\$2,500,000. Instablement of Premium re-698,336.43 coived on New SHARES ...

\$3,198,336.43

COURT OF DIRECTORS. . Chairman-WM. REINERS, Esq. Deputy Chairman-W. S. Young, Esq. H. L. DALBYMPLE, A. P. McEwen, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. F. D. SASSOON, Esq. M. E. SASSOON, Esq. A. Gliltzow, Esq.

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MANAGER. Shanghai, ...... Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at theirate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily For Fixed Deposits:-

For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum 4 per cent. " o per cout. " LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Oredits granted on approved Securities,

and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Boad East.

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 25, 1883.

# Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned begs to give Notice that he has SOLD the STOCK-IN-TRADE and GOODWILL of the BUSINESS of the late JOHN NOBLE to Messrs, C. J. GAUPP & Co.

JOHN S. COX, Administrator to the Estate of the late JOHN NOBLE.

WITH Reference to the above, we beg CHASED the BUSINESS of the late JOHN NOBLE, which will be carried on in the present Premises and under the same Style as heretofore, and having now the largest and best Assorted Stock; of WATCHES and JEWELLERY in the Colony, we trust to receive the Continuance Foo Signals AT FISHER ISLAND LIGHTof the Patronage bestowed upon our Bre-

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1883.

## Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGBAI BANKIN CORPORATION.

TITHE FOURTH and FINAL CALL of £10 Sterling per Shake on the 20,000 | next. SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this Corporation, will fall due on the 31st December Current. in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

the respective Offices, the above Callor its will be as shown below, on and after the every delicacy of the Season, and most equivalent in the Currency of the above. 1st January, 1884. mentioned places. PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES are being is-

sued in Exchange for the First Call Receipts, Lamocks Lighthouse. which are to be surrendered to the Bank. HOLDERS OF PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed. . The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is fixed at 3/- 81d. or 853.93 per Share.

INTEREST at the Rate of 7 % per Annum

will be Charged on Calls unpaid on the 31st DECEMBER. By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, December 13, 1883. . . 1121

SEE WOO. TAILOR, DRAPER & OUTFITTER.

No. 55, Queen's Road Central, Has just Received by French Mail CHRISTY'S BLACK, BROWN AND DRAB FELT HATS, AND TWEED HATS,

(of all shapes). All Kinds of PERFUMES and TOILET SOAPS.

All Sorts of Gentleman's WINTER destring, &c., &c. Hongkong, December 3, 1883.

## Intimations.

DINNER - -

Hongkong, December 17, 1883.

LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N Accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with Approval of the Consulting Committee, will on 1st January, 1884, Issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share, Payable at the Honokong & Shane-HAI BANK, the same being at the Rate of 10 % per Annum, on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year -1883, and Notice is horeby given that in Order that the same may be adjusted the Transfer BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the .18th to 31st Instant, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, December 12, 1883.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

AGENCE DE HONGKONG

TROM this date and during my Absence from the Colony, the Agency will be

conducted by Mr. I. MARTIN. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

 $Agent_{-}$ Hongkong, December 14, 1883.

NOTICE TO MARINER'S. No. 179.

CHINA SEA. OHEFOO DISTRICT.

SOUTH-EAST SHANTUNG PROMONTORY Lighthouse. NT OTICE is hereby given that the Lighton

the South-Rast Shantung Promon-TORY was exhibited for the first time at sanset on the 28th ultimo. The illuminating apparatus is Rovolving Dioptric of the First Order, showing White flashes at half minute intervals.

The Lighthouse stands on the southeastern clow of the island known as the South-east Promontory, and the Light which is elevated 96% feet above the level of the sea, should be visible in clear weather at a distance of 15, nautical miles. The tower is round, of iron, 50 feet high

with a total height from its base to the lantern vane of 774 feet. The tower is painted in red and white horizontal bands, the keppers' dwellings and the boundary wall are white.

Approximate position :— Latitude ...... 36° 54' 00" N. Longitude..........122 31 45 E.

FOG SIGNAL. A First-class Siron, giving a blast about 4 seconds, duration at intervals of 11 minutes, will be sounded during thick or loggy weather.

Regarding the island which forms the Southeast Promontory, the China Sea Directory, Vol. III., 1874, p. 463, states that :- "Extensive roofs, some detached, border the whole shore, which is of the most dangerous character and should not be passed at less than a mile, except off the western bluff, nor in less than 9 fathoms

By Order of the Inspector-General of A. M. BISBEE.

Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs. Coast Inspector's Office.

Shanghai, 5th December, 1883.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. No. 180.

CHINA SEA.

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HOUSE AND OTHER STATIONS.

TOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 1st January 1884, the Foo SIGNAL BE FISHER ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE.

It is also notified that when there is modation. occasion to repeat the Fog Gun Signal at The BAR, BILLIARD ROOM, and the following Light-stations (at which no DINING ROOMS, are fitted up in a interval between signals has hitherto been Superior manner, and are all under Eu-REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS entitled to established) the time between the last gun ropean Supervision and Management. NEW SHARES, are requested to Pay, lat of one signal and the first gun of the next

Name of Light Station. Interval between Signals. 12 minutes. Chapel Island Jckseu . Turnabout Middle dog West Volcano H Gutzlaff North Saddle " Shaweishan

N.E. Shantung Pro-

montory Lighthouse.

NorE. The Foo Gun Signals for all the Lights at which they have been established are described in the printed List of the Chinese Lighthouses, Light-vessels, Buoys and Beacons. This List is published each year with corrections to the 30th November of the preceding year, and may be bought of Messrs: Kelly & Walsh in Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama,

By Order of the Inspector-General of Customs.

A. M. BISBEE, Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs,

· Coast Inspector's Office. 1052 Shanghai, 7th December, 1883.

### For Sale.

FOR PRESENTS

GOODS Comprising:

Real Turtle Soup. Salmon Cutlets. Kippered Salmon, Herrings h la Sardines. Sardines au Citron.

Herrings in White Wine. Mackerel in White Wine. French Truffles. Assorted English Patties. Paté de Foie Gras.

Truffled Chickens in Jelly. French tinned Larks. Assorted French Pates. Asparagus, Petita Pols.

Champignons. Pudding and Sultana Raisins. Peel for Mincomests. Christmas Hams. Christmas Cakes. Plum Puddings. Ripe Stiltens.

Port du Salut Cheese. Gruyère Cheese. Gergonzola Cheesa. Double Gloster Chocse. French Plums. Fruits in Noyeau and Brandy.

Crystallized Fruits. Elva's Plums. Muscatol Raisins. Barcelona and Brazil Nuts. Best French Confestionery. Bonbons and Dragées. Bonbonnièrs for Christmas Trees.

French Chocolates. Newest Cosaques and Crackors. French and English Toys. Machanical Toys, Electric Toys. French and English Dolls. Out-door Games.

Hongkong, December 3, 1883.

Christmas and New Year Cards.

Fancy Pipes and Cigar Tubes, Fitted Travelling Bags. Work Bags and Baskets. Perfume Cases.

New Embossed Statuary. Afternoon Tea Services. Tête à Tête Seta. China Figures and Vases. Children's Annuals.

Duplex Lamps in newest designs. Presentation Books. Cabinet and Scrap Albums. Monu and Guest Cards. Osler's Artistic China and Glassware.

Flower Brackets and Baskets. Pretty Toa and Coffce Sets. Flower Stands. New Electro-Plated Ware. Coffee and Ten Services. Table Decorations, latest designs and A Handsome Drawing-room Fountain. Salad Bowls and Helpers.

Epergues. Flower and Fruit Stands. New Centre Pieces. Dessert Sets. Wachter's Royal Champagne.

Doutz and Goldermann's Gold Lack Champagne, Krug's Privato Cuvée Champagne. Lemoino's Vin Brut Champagne! Sparkling Moselle.

Dry Sherries.

Choice Bordeaux Wines. After Dinner Port. Burgundies. Hocks.

Liqueurs, Brandies and Whiskies. Liqueura...

# SAYLE & .Co.

# FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

TYTE HAVE JUST RECEIVED AND ARE NOW SHOWING THE FOLLOWING 000 D 3:-NEW DESIGNS in BRUSSELS CARPETS with BORDERS and RUGS to Match

A Large and Choice Assortment of AXMINSTER and SKIN HEARTH RUGS. Eiderdown QUILTS and PILLOWS.

TRAVELLING RUGS in great variety. A Large Stock of BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS. Ebony and Walnut COAL VASES. Single and Double PERAMBULATORS. The New "PATENT AIR LAMPS." AUSTRIAN BENT WOOD FURNITURE. FLOORCLOTHS for Halts, Rooms and Passages. COCOA MATTING, all widths.

> COIR MATS. & Co.,

> > Intimations.

NOTICE:

T HAVE This Day ESTABLISHED my.

Hongkong, December 10, 1883.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY.

QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND

CONTINENTAL PORTS.

A passing the Company's Steamers

through the Suez Canal in QUARANTINE,

thus avoiding any detention in Egypt.

The Homeward Mails are now being landed

at VENICE, but the QUARANTINE which is

still imposed at this and all other Contin-

ENTAL PORTS provents the landing of Pas-

sengers, and those travelling by the Com-

pany's Steamers are advised to remain on

The Passages of the Steamers will be

Superintendent.

accelerated, and they will not call at MALTA

Hongkong, September 6, 1883. 491

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

WARRANTS may be had on application at

the Office of the Society on and after that

delays and inconveniences.

or Gibraltae. A. McIVER.

RRANGEMENTS have been made for

self in this Colony as a SHARE and.

HECTOR SAMPSON.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE. Hongkong, December 4, 1883.

GENERAL BROKER

# Intimations.

# VICTORIA HOTEL

Proprietors; DORABJEE & HING KEE, late Lessees of the Hongkong Horer.

TTHIS HOTEL is situated on the Praya which at present is two guns with an inter- - Central in the centre of the principal val of ten minutes between them, will be Business localities and commands a magnitwo guns with an interval of five minutes ficient view of the Harbour and surroundbetween them, and that when the Signal ing scenery. From its detached position, has to be repeated a space of ten minutes perfect ventilation has been secured, and will be allowed to elapse between the last | the whole of the ROOMS being Commedigun of one signal and the first gun of the ous and Furnished with every Requisite and Coinfort, afford most desirable Accom-

> The TABLE D'HOTE is supplied with satisfactory attendance. WINES and LIQUORS of the best Qualities and Brands only are supplied. Arrangements for BALLS, BANQUETS, DINNERS and PICNICS made on the most Reason. able Terms. The long and almost exclu-sive experience of the Proprietors, and the wide Reputation they have gained, are a sufficient guarantee that satisfaction will

> be given in this Branch, With every facility for making suitable Arrangements at Reasonable Prices, either for permanent or weekly Boarders; the Proprietors confidently appeal to the Community of Hongkong for a continuance of the generous Patronage Bestowed on them during the past eleven years. Hongkong, November 20, 1883. 954

HOP SHING & Co., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS. COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, &c., WEST POINT IRON WORKS.

HAVING This Day commenced Busi-NESS, are ready to undertake Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced European. Orders executed with the utmost despatch and at moderate terms. 24th September, 1883,

TWENTY-NINE CENTS per Share for the year 22nd Instant.

> By Order of the Board, DOUGLAS JONES. Acting Secretary. Hongkong, October 22, 1883.

# Intimations.

HONGKONG PUBLIC SCHOOL.

THE DISTRIBUTION of PRIZES at the above School will take place at ST. PAUL'S COLLEGE, of SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 11 a.m. His Excellency the Governor has kindly consented to Preside. Contributions of Prizes, or towards the

Endowment Fund of the School will be thankfully received. Hongkong, December 17, 1883.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1sr - October, the PRICE of ICE will be REDUCED To 11 Cents per pound. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, September 15, 1883. WILLIAM DOLAN,

SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLES

22. PRAYA CENTRAL. MOTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS. MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BUOYS, CORK JACKETS, &o., &o., &o.

Hougkong, May 1, 1882. To Let.

TO LET. DISNEE VILLA" PORFOOLUM Furnished. No. 25s. PRAYA CENTRAL.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1883. TO LET.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us. No. 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. For further Particulars apply to Messis.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, August 1, 1883. ODOWNS-TO LET PRAYA EAST AND WANCHAI ROAD. For Particulars, apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, April 26, 1882.

#### For Sale. FOR SALE.

MUMM & Co. CHAMPAGNE GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

NOW ON SALE. CHINESE DICTIONARY CANTONESE DIALECT.

Dr. E. J. EITEL. CROWN OCTAVO, PP. 1018. HONGRONG, 1877-1883.

Part IV. T-Y, .... ... \$9.00 A Reduction of ten per cent, will be

allowed to purchasers of Ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabotically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means confined to the Cantonose Dislect, but the work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, ancient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide to the student. A Supplement, arranged for being bound

and used by itself, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and gold separately.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, January 15, 1883.

IVE Hundred to Six Hundred Tons suit, from one ton upwards, CHOY CHEW, 290, Praya West. Hongkong, June 18, 1883.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

board the Vessel which calls at Marseures en route stopping a few hours only to dis-charge Cargo, and proceed in her direct to RODERICK DHU WHISKY. Pure, Fine-Flavoured Blend, Equal in LONDON, thus avoiding all QUARANTINE A Bouquet and Style to the Finest. FRENCH BRANDY.

> C. L. THEVENIN. Hongkong, October 19, 1883. C. L. THEVENIN, WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDING,

Sole Agent, Hongkong,

HAS FOR SALE Fine Assortment of WHITE and RED Second and Final BONUS of Five A BURGUNDIES :- GRAND HERMIT-A per cent. on Contributions, and a AGE, CHAMBERTIN, POMMARD, RICHEBOURG, DIVIDEND of FIGHTEEN DOLLARS and CHARLES, Pints and Quarts, &c., &c. OLD PORT, SHERRY, WHISKEY 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the COGNAC, Assorted LIQUEURS and SY-RUPS; PERFUMERY, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, October 17, 1883. THE REPORT OF THE TRIAL OF LOGAN AT CANTON that appeared in the China Mail has been printed in PAM-PHLET FORM, and is now on Sale .-Price, 30 Cents. Hongkopg, October 3, 1883.

### Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS. BRONZES, JADES, &c., &c. THE Undersigned will offer FOR SALE by Public Auction, on-

FRIDAY, the 21st December, 1883, the Sale comand resuming at 2 p.m.,-

VERY FINE AND EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF OLD CHINA WARE, CURIOS, &c. The same having just arrived in this Colony from the NORTH of CHINA, being very careful and valuable collection

PROVINCES of CHINA, and compris-OLD MING LACQUER, OLD PORCELAINS from the Mine DYNASTY, the reigns of the Emperors Kang-HI, Yung-chuen and Krenung in Five-coloured and Blue and WHITE VASES, JARS, DISHES, PLATES, BOWLS, PURE BLACK KANG-HI and BLACK and Gold Kien-Lung Vases, Sang DE Bour and Frambothe Porcelains.

made in PEKIN and the NORTHERN

OLD BRONZES, BAMBOO CARVINGS, and a quantity of very fine JADE, OLD PEKIN ENAMELS [CLOISONNE] CURIOS, &c. And some good specimens of PORCELAINS of more modern manufacture.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the 265 Sale, and the above will be on view on Thursday, the 20th Instant. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT,

> Auctioncer. Hongkong, December 7, 1883. POSTPONEMENT.

"G. C. TRUFANT." TO BE SOLD, at MANHA, by PUBLIC AUCTION, without reserve, for account of the concerned.

THE BRITISH SHIP "G. C. TRUFANT," As she now lies at her anchors in Manifa Bay. HULL, MASTS, SPARS, RIGGING SAILS, ANCHORS and CABLES, and all her other FURNITURE and APPAREL in One Lot.

On a Day to be named hereafter.

Conditions of Sale may be had of LLOYDS' AGENTS, Manila. 3rd December, 1883.

# Shipping.

Steamers. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rate for CHEROO, NEWCHWANG, TIEN. TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship will be despatched on cabout the 19th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, December 12, 1883.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE AND MAURITIUS.

VIA HOIHOW. The Co.'s Steamship Captain WESTORY, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst., p.m., instead of as previously advertised. Goods from alongside. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hougkong, December 10, 1883.

FOR BANGKOK. The Steamship Copt. HEURRMANN, will be despatched for the above Part on SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 2 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, December 17, 1883. UNION LINE. COKE and COAL TAR, in lots to FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship " Venice."

SIEMSSEN & Co

Captain Ainsure, will be despatched for the above 1270 Port on or about SATURDAY, the 22nd 1 p.m. To-DAY. Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 12, 1883. 1110

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL The Co.'s Steamship " Priam." Captain Burtra, will be despatched on or about the 23rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, December 12, 1883.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. Captain Jacors, will be despatched as above on The Steamship or about the 26th lustant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 10, 1883.

# Shipping.

## Steamers.

THE AUSTRALASIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Cailing at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through mencing at 10.30 acm., pausing at Noon, Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW CALEDONIA and FIJL)

The Steamship Captain Thom, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 8th January, 1884, at 4 p. in.

Hongkong, December 15, 1883. FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS-

DONIA, TASMANIA and FIJI.) The Eastern and Australian Steamship Co.'s Steamer "Catterthun! will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 15th January.

Contents and value of the Packages must be declared. For Freight or Passage, apply to

# Hongkong, December 17, 1883.

FOR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. The A 1 British Barque " Alice Marn." DAVIS, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will

have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 11, 1883. 1101

The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship CARVER, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will havo quick despatch.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1883.

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Steamship Camorta having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediato delivery of their Goods.

NOTICE TO. CONSIGNEES. "TAKACHIHO MARU," FROM

Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. and to take immediate delivery of their

No Fire Insurance will be effected; H. J. H. TRIPP.

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE

less notice to the contrary he given before No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 20th Instant will be

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1116

FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship Glenaron having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Oplum—are being landed at their risk into the Godowns

the Wharves or Boats delivery may be ob-Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-DAY, the 13th December.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the
20th Instant will be subject to rent.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., General Managers.

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 p.in. of

MONDAY, the 14th January,

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Sailing Vessels.

FOR NEW YORK.

For Freight, apply to

Notices to Consignees. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

FROM BATAVAA AND SAIGON.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, December 15, 1883.

KOBE AND NAGASAKI. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above

Cargo impeding the discharge or remained ing on board after Tuesday, the 18th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

Mitau Bishi Meil S. S. Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1883. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS

THE Steamship Pembrolieshire, DAVIES. Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods, with exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godown of the Undersigned, at Wanchai, No. 3, behind the premises k yown as "Blue Buildings," whence and/or from the Wherves or Boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, un-

subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

1112 of the Undersigned, whence and/or from

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, December 13, 1883.

日九十月一十年未癸

No. 53, Queen's Road East. (OPPOSITE THE COMMISSABIAT), LANDING NOW FROM AMERICA.

**ALIFORNIA** RACKER OMPANY'S BISCUITS in 5 lb tine, and loose. Soda BISCUITS. Assorted BISCUITS.

CORNMEAL.

Small HOMINY. Cracked WHEAT. OATMEAL.

TOPOCAN BUTTER. Apple BUTTER. Eastern and Californian CHEESE. CODFISH, Boneless. Prime HAMS and BACON. Eagle Brand Condensed MILK. Family BEEF in 25 h kogs. Beau Ideal SALMON in 5 to cans. Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 21 to caus. Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.

Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage MEAT. Stuffed PEPPERS. Assorted SOUPS. Richardson & Robbin's Colebrated Potted MEATS.

Lunch HAM. Lambs' TONGUES. Clam OHOWDER. Fresh OREGON SALMON. Dried APPLES. TOMATOES. SUCCOTASH. Maple SYRUP. Golden SYRUP. LOBSTERS. OYSTERS. HONEY. Assorted JELLIES. Green CORN.

FAIRBANKS'

400 lb. Capacity. 900 lb. 1,200 lb.

CORN BROOMS. OFFICE HIGH CHAIRS. AXES and HATCHETS:

AGATE IRON WARE. WAFFLE IRONS. SMOOTHING IRONS.

PAINTS and OILS. TALLOW and TAR. VARNISHES.

# DEVOE'S NONPARIEL BRILLIANT KEROSINE OIL, 150° test.

Ex late Arrivals from ENGLAND.

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF R E.S,including:

CHRISTMAS CAKES. PLUM PUDDINGS. MINCEMEAT. ALMONDS and RAISINS.

Crystallized FRUITS. TEYSSONEAU'S DESSERT FRUITS. Pudding RAISINS. Lante CURRANTS.

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Fine New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in 5 catty Boxes. BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. ib.

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MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE VIA INLAND SEA. (Taking Cargo and Passengers for YOKO-HAMA.)

THE S.S. TAKACHIHO MARU, Capt. Nyr, due here on or about the 16th Instant, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 21st December, at 4 p.m. Cargo received on board and Parcels at

the Office up to 1 p.m. of day of sailing.
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

CARGO and PARSENGERS for Yokohama will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, Praya Central, Ground Floor of Messrs Russell & Co.

H. J. H. TRIPP. Hongkong, December 12, 1883.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR,

BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KAISAR-I-HIND, Captain E. G. STEAD, with Hor Majosty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the 25th Decomber, at 4 p.m.

Cargo will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be

transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than, by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Puckages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Com-

pany's Black Bills of Lading. N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passongers for MARSEILLES.

A. McIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, December 12, 1883.

Insurances.

NOTICE. QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accep Risks on First Class Godowns at per cent, net premium per annum.

NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, May 10, 1881.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, November 5, 1883.

### Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF. His Majesty King George The First, A. D. 1720.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-

Marine Department. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia.

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Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY,

THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are authorized to Insure against FIRE at Current Rates.

GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1882.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.) CAPITAL .- Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of and Conditions.

Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

# Intimations.

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# Entertainment.

CITY HALL.

TO-MORROW EVENING, the 19th December, 1883.

DAVIS & D'ANGELIS,.....Lesses.

MHE LOFTUS TROUPE WILL PRESENT THE CELEBRATED ADELPHIA SUCCESS "FRITZ,"

OUR COUSIN GERMAN. As performed with great success by THE Lorrus Thours in the Principal Cities of India, Africa, and Australia.

Fritz (a German Emigrant)......Mr Jeff. D'Angelis. COLONEL CRAFTON .... " C. J. Barber. LAWYER GRIM ...... " Bartley O'Brien. JOSTLE (a Bowery Boy) " F. W. Oakland. Skow (a Negro Ser-

vant)..... " J. W. Allen. SQUARRER (a Negro Judge (American Court)..... u J. L. Evens. CLERK OF THE COURT. & F. W. Oakland. SCHNEIDER (Fritz's 

Louise (afterwards. Lena)..... ii Florence Conliffe. MARY (a Quadroon) ... " Minnie Nordt. KATRINA..... Victoria Loftus. Tablcau 1.

Garden, N.Y .- The Stealing of Katrina. Tableau 2. The Rescue.-Fritz out-The Colonel at

Scene 1.—Fritz's arrival by Ship at Castle

Homo. - "Do You think a Dutchman. is a D-Fool !"

Tableau 3. FRITZ AT HOME. Sony .- "How to make sour krout !" I know you was fooling.

. Tableau 4. Dot Toy Harmonic. The Entertainment in the Garden. The Vision of Lena—The Recognition— Fritz finds a long-lost Sister-The Arrest Tableau 5.

The Great Trial Scene. The Fox caught in his own Trap-Fritz Triumphant Dot ist Goot.

Tableau 3.

Fritz's Home-Clouds and Sunshine-The Friendly Visit-Fritz and his Boy Schneider with Song and Dance, SCHNEIDER. HOW YOU VAS? -Thieves around Katrina-Terrible situation of Child-The Child's Fate. The Rescue Fritz comes in time.

Finale-"SCHNEIGER, How You VAS." Box Plan at Mesers. KELLY & WALSH'S, where Scats may be secured.

J. CHAS. DAVIS, Manager. BARTLEY O'BRIEN,

Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

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NATURAL MINERAL WATER

IN PINTS AND QUARTS. A. S. WATSON & Co., Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, December 13, 1883.

To-day's Advertisements. E. J. DURNY,

PROFESSOR OF MUSIC. ESSONS given on the PIANO and ORGAN. TERMS MODERATE.

Address c/o. THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE. Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

CYMRAEG.

THE Roy, DAVID D. JONES of the "AMERICAN BOARD" MISSION desires to consult with the WEISH RESIDENTS in Hengkong, in regard to holding WELSH RELIGIOUS MEETINGS here, when he cecasionally visits the Colony. WELSHMEN will oblige by sending their Names and Addresses to the

Rov. D. D. JONES, 2, Bridge Street, Hongkong. Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd Inst. until the 8th Proxime, both days inclusive. HENRY R. H. MARTIN,

Manager. Hongkoug, December 18, 1883.

STEAMSHIP "AVA." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship J Gange, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuablesare being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 11 o'clock To-DAY (TUESDAY), Duron.—Carlowitz & Co. reduesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by he Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-DAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me before the 27th Instant or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

I. MARTIN. Acting Agent. Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

The Co.'s Steamship YOKOHAMA TO MORROW, the 19th

I. MARTIN, Acting Agent.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Delpeon, will be despatched for SHANGHAI TO MORROW, the 19th

I. MARTIN. Acting Agent. Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

MISS CRAFTON...... II Myra Syddons. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. . The Co.'s Steamship Capt. S. Ashron, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst., at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

> FOR BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM.

> The Company's Steamer above Port on FRIDAY, the 21st Instant

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agents. Hougkong, December 18, 1883. 115-NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON AND PONTIANAK. The Co.'s Steamship "Camorta." Captain Obstille, will be despatched as above on

or about the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR TTHE ONLY PALATABLE APERIENT SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,

SAID, AND TRIESTE (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-CUTTA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, ODESSA, and the MEDITERRANEAN PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship

Capt. G. Manorsicu, will be despatched as above on For further Particulars, apply to

Hongkong, December 18, 1883.

OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. CYFARFOD CREFYDDOL (Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENS. LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.)

The usual hours will be observed in closing The Steamship "Changehow," Captain WHITTLE, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 5th January, at 4 p.m. This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Teither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Honghong Harbour :-ALICE MARY, Brit. barque, Capt. James 1156 J. Davis. - Chinese. ANNETZIN, Italian barque, Captain F.

> DANUEE, British steamer, Captain J. Radia. SACHEM, American ship, Captain J. W. Small.—P. & O. S. N. Co. SATURNUS, German barque, Captain C.

Schade. - Siemssen & Co. SELEMBRIA, British steamer. Captain Fowler -- Russell & Co. Sr. IDEUC, French barque, Captain J.

> SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

Dec. 17, Stoock, German frigate, from Dec. 18, Pautch, Chinese steamer, from charge of one per cent. for cashing them. Canton. Dec. 18, Peking, British steamer, from Dec. 18, Wingsang, British steamer, from

ARRIVALS. Dec. 18, Hecht, German 3-m. schooner, 358, Plostz, Chefeo Dec. 9, Beans,-

BIEMSBEN & Co. Dec. 18, Avo, French steamer, 3325, Delpech, Marseilles Nov. 11, Naples 13, Port Said 17, Suez 19, Aden 25, Colombo Dec. 3, Singapore 10, and Saigon 13, Mails and General.—Messagenes Manifester.

Dec. 18, Albay, British steamer, 366, F. D. Goddard, Kudat Dec. 2, and Sandakan 11. General - Douglas STEAMSHIP Co. Dec. 18, Welle, German steamer, 393, E. Piper, Pakhoi Dec. 15, Hoihow 16, and Macao 18, General. - WIELER & Co.

DEPARTURES. Dec. 18, Comet, for Taiwanfoo. 18, Coptic, for Bombay. 18, Don Juan, for Amoy. 18, Wingsang, for Shanghai. 18. Amatista, for Manila.

18, Sindh, for Marseilles, &c.

CLEARED. De Bay, for Nagasaki. Pautah, for Shanghai. Activ, for Haiphong.

ARRIVED. Per Ava, for Houghong : from Marseilles, Mr Alloot, Revs. Lataille and Taillandier from Saigon, Mr Lam Doa Chung, and 26 Chinese. For Shanghai: from Marseilles, Mr Becher, Revs. Trubert, Mury, Leclere, Paux, Bouillon, Masson, and Bain; from Saigon, Mr Paul Guiguon. For Yokobama: from Marselles, Mr Priner.

PASSENCERS.

Per Albay, from Kudat, &c., Captain and Mrs Conner and family, Mr Sampson, and 50 Chinese. Per Welle, from Hoihow, &c., 30 Chinese.

Per Sindh, for Saigon, one Chinese; for Singapore, Mosers A. J. Rodrigues and assistant Che. Emerson, Harry Kellar, and F. W. Collins; for Marseilles, Messra G. de Champeaux, H. Sutherland, Bismee, and Capt. John Remgi. From Shanghai : for Singapore, Mr A. L. Shumway; for Suez, Mr and Mrs A. D. Startseff; for Port Said. Mr N. Naoumaw; for Marseilles, Hon. T. G. Grosvenor.

Per Don Juan, for Amoy, 20 Chinese. Per Wingsang, for Shanghai, 1 European and 31 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Activ, for Haiphong, 10 Chinese. SHIPPING REPORTS.

From Kudat to Sandakan light variable airs and fine weather. From Sandakan to Mindoro passage light variable airs and smooth sea with occasional heavy showers of rain, from thence to Cape Bolinso moderate variable winds with heavy Northerly swell, and from thence to port fresh monsoon and clear weather.

The British steamer Albay reports

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per Douglas, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

the 19th inst., instead of as pre-

viously notified. FOR BANGKOK. Per Danube, at 7.30 a.m., on Friday, the 21st inst. FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE .-

Per Takachiho Maru, at 3.30 p.m., on

Friday, the 21st inst.

For SAIGON. Per Occan, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the 21st inst. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS LAND. COOKTOWN, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, AND MELBOURNE.

Per Naples, at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. - -The British Contract Packet Kaisar-i-Him will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 25th December, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries, beyond, via Brindisi, to the Straits Settle-

ments, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australasian Colonies.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Yangtse will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 1st January, with Mails for the United Kingdom; Europe, and places beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Mauritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

the Mails, &c. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH MAIL The following hours are observed in closing

Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet :-Day of Departure, -Noon. -- Money Order Office closes. 2 r.m.-Registry of Letters ccases.

Posting of all printed matter and datterns ceases. P.M. - Mail closed, except for Late 3.10 r.m.—Letters may be posted with

Late Fee of 10 cents until 3.30 r.m. - When the Post Office closes on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

Money Orders. 1. Money Orders are exchanged with Straits Settlements. Tasmania.

United Kingdom.

Port Darwin. Victoria. Queensland. Western Australia 2.—The Hongkong Post Office also issues | Sam Sui Po to-day. orders on Shanghai, and vice terra. 3.-The commission is as follows-(according to the currency the order is drawn Up to £ 2, or \$10, or R 20, ..... 0.20 cents.

,, £ 5, or \$25, or R 50,.....0.40 ,,

\* £10, or \$50, or R100,...... 080 -,, 4.-No Order must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when R150 is the In one of his letters to the Times, Mr. limit), nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of Colquhonn says: A Thave already told you the same payee, by the same mail. 5. Sums not exceeding \$50 may be re-

mitted between the Ports of China by

or Money Orders can be granted on Ports

where there are agencies of the Hongkong

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£ 7, or \$35, or R. 70,....0.60

\* No orders on Japan are issued at the British Post Office, Shanghai.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping. 6 a.m. - Volga leaves for Yokohama.

Amusements. 9 p.m. -Performance at the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, December 20 :-Mauritius, via Holhow.

8 a.m. - Danube leaves for Bangkok. 10.30 a.m. -Auction of Chinese Porcelains, Curios, &c. 4 p.m .- Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for Nagazaki, &c.

Paul's College. 2 p.m.-Peking leaves for Bangkok. SUNDAY, December 23:-Transfer Books of Hongkong and China Gas Co., Limited, closed from this data to the 8th Proximo, inclusive.

MONDAY, December 24 :--Goods per Ara undelivered after Noon subject to rent and landing charges.

of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corporation duo. TUESDAY, (New Year's Day), 1884 :--Interest Warrants of 85 per Share of Canton Insurance Office, Ld., will be issued.

Tuesday, January 8:-4 p.m. Naples leaves for Australian

A. S. WATSON & Co., AMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS.

DRUGGISTA' SUNDRIES, NURSERY REQUIsires, Toiler Recuisires, English, AMBRICAN, AND FRENCH PATENT MEDICINES

Water, and other Aerated Waters. The Manufactory is under direct and continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

The China Mail.

TELEGRAMS. PAUS. 17th December.

LOCAL AND GENERAL. The next English Man, per the P. & Q. steamer Hydaspes, left Singapore on Friday, the 14th Dec., at 6 p.m., and may be expected to arrive here on or about Friday, the 21st instant.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Jason left Singapore on the 12th instant; due here to-morrow. The D. D. R. S. S. Hesperia left Singapore on the 12th instant; due here to-mor-

Singapore on the 14th inst.; due here on or about the 21st instant.

THE December Criminal Sessions will be opened to morrow morning. The calendar 3.40 r.m. - Late Letters may be posted is a very light one, there being only four cases set down for trial, and the Sessions

> The steamer Tanais will leave Kowloon Dock to-morrow, and H. M. S. gunboak

with further reinforcements for Tonquin; also 4,000 carbines for the native auxiliaries, and over a million cartridges.

that the ignoratice which exists regarding the country, not inconsiderable in England. finds its culminating point at Hongkong. I could tell you a dozen stories on the subject, but one example will suffice. In Hong. kong I was saked quite seriously by a lady, who had been a resident in the place for

Noon. - And leaves for Shanghai.

Daylight.—Douglas leaves for Coast Ports.
4 p.m.—Thales leaves for Singapore and Goods per Pembrokeshire undelivered after

FRIDAY, December 21 :-

ATURDAY. December 22:--11 a.m. - Distribution of Prizes at St.

Monday, December 31 :-

ATURDAY, January 5:-4 p.m. - Changchow leaves for Australian

香港大檗房

MANUFACTURERS Sods Water, Lemonade, Tonio Water, Gingerado, Potass Water, Sarsarparilla

The publication of this issue commenced at 7.45 p.m.

Three thousand men, additional reinforcements for the French army in Tonquin, will leave for Haiphong next week, and 3,000 more in the middle of January. No attack is expected to be made on Bacninh

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamship Orion left Singapore on the 14th

THE delivery of the French Mail was begun at 0.15 this afternoon.

should not extend over one day. THE new Commission of the Peace was sworn in before His Excellency the Governor in the Council Chambers this after-

Esk will go in. The Tartar was docked at THE French transport Mytho was to leave Toulon for Tonquin on the 20th November

this date subject to rent. Goods per Glenaron undelivered after this date subject to rent.

Tuesday, (Christmas Day), Dec. 25;— 4 p.m.—English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

Final Call of £10 on Shares Now Issue

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mainland. Since my return to Europe however, a perusal of some of the Parisian journals almost persuades me that I have done Hongkong an injustice."

A REMI-OFFICIAL notice has been published in the French papers denying that Lioutenant Viand has been removed from active service on account of his description of the slaughter of Annamites after the capture of the Hus forts. He is simply recalled to France, as, by the disclosure of his being the author of the narrative in question, his position on board the Atalante has been made most difficult, in order that he may explain his conduct to the Minister of Marine, who also expects to receive a report from Admiral Courbet.

THE following is a list of the officers of the Porseverance Lodge, No. 1165, E. C., for

W. S. S. W. J. W.	P. Jordan A. Woolley
Chaplain	
Treasurer	A. Shepherd ~
Secretary.	J. S. Moses
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Organist	1
Inner Guard	H. M'Callum
Director of Coromonies	H. N. Mody
Stoward	F. A. Hazeland
Tyler	S. G. Grimble
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We learn that the appointment of Mr. Wong Slifing to the seat for the Chinese member of the Legislative Council was decided upon by the Government some time ago. It was thought that Wong Shing would not become naturalized to enable this honour to be conferred upon him, but he at last gave way, and a Bill for his naturalization was introduced in the Legislative Council to-day. "Cuttle," in his weekly notes the 27th of last month, gave some (Finance Committee, 4th December, 1883,) particulars of the career of this gentleman, who appears to be about the best Chinaman with a queue that could be found in the Colony for the position. "Cuttle" said: "For the Chinese membership, if the fact of his not being a British subject did not stand in his way, there is one Chinese who would be equally acceptable to Europeans and wearers of the queue. I refer to Mr Wong Shing, who, in addition to being one of the largest owners of real estate in the Colony, has had a varied experience of men and manners both in building grant to St. Joseph's College, to us for publication too late for insertion Europe and America. He was, I believe. Commissioner to Peru, and Consul General in San Francisco. At present he is living Legislative Council he should call his Ex. The Hon. J. M. Price, Surveyor-General. retired in the Colony, and his advice is always welcome to the leading members of the Chinese community. But I understand Mr Wong Shing will not become a British subject, even for a seat in the Legislative it might be said that it was open to any too strongly condemned

managership of Drury Lane played so the Governor did not, either privately or the Public Service over which you have, many parts that it is not surprising he some- officially, wish to influence the vote of any for so many years, presided with such adfirst night of "A Sailor and His Lass," in his own experience that every honourable To evidence our appreciation of the posihis interview with the stowaway, cleverly member who held his seat there would not tion you took up with regard to the late and then as "My lord," only contriving to the Secretary of State. That being so, he discharged the operous public duty which hit upon the correct appellation, " My lad," the third time of saying. - Figure.

A CENTERMAN who is an enthusiastic be- the solved by individual effort, and thinks that them with the authority of the Scoretary Win. H. Forbes we should be able to regulate our flight of State for payment of public money that C. Vincent Smith through the atmosphere by our own volition, has recently (the St. Stephen's Review says) devoted much attention to this idea, and, it is needless to add. spent a large amount of money on his "fad." Ho lately started to fly, and his satin wings, worked by a powerful lever set in motion by a miniature steam engine, propelled him forward, but not up objection to the original grant of \$5,000 to H. E. Doar ward. As there was a stream of water about fifty yards in front of the pathway down which he was speeding, his friends ran after him, stopped the engine, and prohably saved his life. This gentleman is one well known in society.

booked at home for the Far East ;-

Por P. & O. steamer Brindisi, from Lon- bring before the Council any discussion as L. Fleming den, Nov. 14 To Yokohama : Mr to the educational test applied there; but C. A. Miller

Handson. Per P. & O. steamer Tanjore, from ther grant of the public money of this Co. D. W. Schwemann Venice Nov. 22. To Shanghai : Mr lony should be made the subject of a full A. P. Stokes Mathews; Lord Gower. From Brindisi, and free discussion on behalf of every A. G. Stokes Nov. 26.—To Hongkong: Mr H. W. member of the Council. He knew His J. Melville Matson R. K. Leigh

Williams Mr Hewett Per P. & O. steamer Ancona, from Lon- tatives of the ratepayers here should have C. S. Goodwyn don, Nov. 21 -To Yokohama : Mr Tutill. | control of the money derived from it, and To Shanghai : Mr Geo. Smith, Mr A. G. he hoped he would be able to give the Smith, Mr and Mrs Shaw.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the members of the Legistive Council was held this afternoon, There were present :- His Excellency Sir George Bowen (President); the hon. Sir G. Phillippo, Chief Justice; the hon.

tiemen of the Legislative Council, as you lature should have been reconstructed in the manner graciously , sanctioned, on my recommendation; by Her Majesty the Queen. In consequence, however, of the arrival of Her Majesty's Order in Council formally authorising the reform already granted having been accidentally delayed, have summoned you for the consideration of certain votes of public money, and for the dispatch of other business of a pressing character, as set forth in the Order of

the Day. The Colonial Secretary moved the adoption of the following votes passed in Fi vember and 4th December :-(Finance Committee, 2nd November, 1883. PAYMENTS AUTHORISED IN EXCESS OF THE

ESTIMATES OF 1883, REQUIRING . LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY. SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS. Works and Buildings. Watering Streets, Supplementary, 8 200.

Miscellaneous Services. Grant to Mr Colquboun towards the cost of the Exploration-Survey from British Burmah to S. W. China, and from the North of Siam down the Menan Valley to Bangkok, £300 at 3/8..... \$1,636.36 Government House Furniture ..... 1,335.46

TRANSFER. Works and Buildings Sanitary Works :- Reconstruction of Wyndham Street Sewer, in lieu of the votes approved by Finance Committee on 21st June, 1883, for surface drains, &c., in Royal Mint and Pen-

(Finance Committee, 20th November, 1883. SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS. Education. Building-Grant to St. Joseph's

Miscellaneous Services. Cost of reprinting certain Ordinances to complete the file ...... 3 365.5 Honorarium to the Secretary to the Commissioners appointed to enquire into the circumstances attending the alleged smuggling from Hongkong into China of

opium and other goods...... 100.00

BSTABLISHMENTS. Colonial Secretary. Allowance to 4th Clerk for Chineso Teacher, 1st to 30th No-

SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS Fire Brigade.

Repairs to Engines, Hose, &c., Supplementary vote...... 3 433.00 Roads, Streets, and Bridges. Miscellaneous Services, Supple-

Before the motion was put to the meeting, the hon. F. B. Johnson said he would When this vote came under the consideration of the Finance Committee, he gave motice that on its being brought up at the cellengy's attention to the advisability of sideration of the Legislative Council before recently published in the columns of member of this Council to make an objecbonourable member, yet it was within mirable efficiency.

conclusions of the Secretary of be, Sir, your most obedient servants, liever in the aeronautical problem being State, that when proposals came before F, Bulkeley Johnson L. Poesnecker there should be a distinct understanding F. D. Sassoon that every member of the Council, official M. E. Sassoon or otherwise, should be allowed to yoth se- T. Jackson cording to his convections. Mr Johnson was not prepared to enter into the merits A. Gultzow of the question of grants-in-aid to schools, and he was not prepared to offer any O. Stiebel St. Joseph's College, nor should he have H. Z. Just offered very great objection to the extra Henry R. Coombs vote of \$1,000 which had been added by A. McIver the Secretary of State, had he seen any E. L. Wooding good reasons for it in Bishop Raimondi's W. Parfitt lotter to the Secretary of State. He, the William Hartigan Bishop, had pleaded on behalf of a wory J. Ross Anton THE following is a list of the passengers rich corporation that did not require this G. S. Coxon money. When he said he did not object G. R. Johnston to these votes he wished particularly to F. Henderson Per Messageries Maritimes str. Djemuch, guard himself against expressing any appro- J. G. T. Hassell from Marseilles, Nov. 25.-To Yoko val whatever of grants-in-aid. He consi- Wm. N. Cruickshank T. E. Davies hams: Mr Halani. To Shanghai : Mr W. dered grants-in-aid towards undenomina- W. M. Morgan Buchsnan, Mrs Fergusson and daughter, tional schools were all very well so long as E. Mackintosh To Hongkong : Mrs C. Cohen, two Misses the educational test was created by the D. Ruttuniee. Cohen, Mr Holworthy, Dr and Mrs Ringer, representatives of the ratepayers and their Framies H. Ariance Thas I. Rose Mr. J. Dakin, Mr. H. F. Merrill, Mr. E. Schools were benefited by the grant-in. William H. F. Darby S. Godfrey Bird. aids, but it was a very different thing Sam, Hughes Per P. & O. steamer Australia, from when that educational test was settled Sidney Hancock London, Nov. 7.-To Yokohama: Mr by a Government and ecclesiastical G. Stewart Haywood, Misses (2) Haywood, Rev. J. hierarchy. He would like to ask his H. M. Thomsett L and Mrs Atkinson and three children, friend, (the hon. Registrar General), who B. Layton Mr W. J. Lake, Mr S. J. Keda, Mr Tutill perhaps knew more about education in this J. Erdmann (and sid Bombay), Mr Dyson Moore, Mr Colony than any other person in it, Max Paquin B. H. Harter. To Shanghai ; Miss Living- whether he was quite sure the Portuguese E. C. Rav ston. To Hongkong: Mr Greville Nugent, community were entirely satisfied with the E. Mackean Mr and Mrs George Holmes, Mr and Mrs charagter of the education their children Chas. C. Cohen W. Shaw, Mrs Le Mesurier and three received at such institutions as that of St. E. George daughters, Mr W. Danby, Lieut. D. O. Joseph's College, and in putting this ques- M. Blum tion, he was not actuated by any desire to William Altchison

he wished to show good cause why a fur. H. T. Siemssen

Excellency was desirons that the represent A. Wamves

ever a vote was brought forward, it might ! be made the subject of a free and open discussion before being approved of by the Secretary of State.

The Colonial Secretary said he was not in the Colony at the time the meeting of the Finance Committee was held when the discussion of this vote took place; otherwise he would have been able to ex-W. H. Marsh. Colonial Secretary; the plain to his hon. friend the reason which hon. E. L. O'Malley, Attorney General; induced him, when he was administrator the hon. J. Lister, Colonial Treasurer, the last year, to refer this vote to the Secretary hon, P. Ryrie; the hon, J. M. Price, Sur- of State instead of to the Colonial Counveyor General; the hon. F. B. Johnson; cil. That reason was to be found in the and the hon. E. Stewart, Registrar General. despatch of the Secretary of State, dated The minutes of last meeting having been | the 6th February, 1879, on the subject of education, which had occupied the attention His Excellency said :- Honourable Gen- of the Colonial Office for some time. He thought it would be as well to read them one are already aware, I had not contemplated or two expressions from this letter. He meeting you again until the Colonial Legis- then read as follows :-- "The expenditure upon education is considerable; but the whole amount is far from covered, and for this reason, if for no other, it is essential to maintain both the existing agencies (i.e. the Central School, and the remainder of that system) and also, as far as possible, to encourage voluntary effort." The further paragraph is: "I desire also that all grant proposals made in aid of other than Government Schools be submitted to the Secretary of State for approval before any promise is made." The Colonial Secretary

thought it was his duty under the instructions contained in that paragraph to refer nance Committee on the 2nd and 20th No- to the Secretary of State the application made for a new school for the grant-in-aid, which grant was nearly the sum of \$14,400. In reply the Secretary of State said he had no objection to grant \$5,000; upon a subsequent application being made His Excellency in Council considered it his brother and four or five others. \$6,000. The Colonial Secretary saw no objection to the course which his hon friend had attacked in laying all those applications before the Sceretary of State, especially as they would soon have a larger council. He thought, at the same time, there was no objection to the course his hon, friend pointed out.

His Excellency the Governor :- I entirely agree with the honourable member that the standing orders in force to regulate the proceedings of the Legislature in other crown colonies should be introduced also in Hongkong, and that all votes of public money should, be for the future; considered, in the first instance, in our re-constructed Legislative Council.

The Registrar General said he had no objection to answer his honourable friend's question, but St. Joseph's College was begun after he finished his work with the educational department, and he had had no opportunity of finding out what the feeling of the Portuguese community was with regard to the education supplied in St. Joseph's College.

The motion was then approved of. On the motion of the Attorney General. seconded by the Colonial Secretary, bills for the naturalisation of Lai Afong, Shing, Henrique Jose Rodrigues and J. A. Carvalho, were read a first time. The Hon. F. B. Johnson asked leave to introduce an ordinance, on behalf of himself and firm, giving power to construct certain piers and wharves in the harbour of

The Hon. P. Ryric seconded. On the motion of the Hon. F. B. John son, seconded by the Hon. P. Ryrie, The Tramways Amondment Bill, was read

first time. Hon. F. B. Johnson also gaked leave to introduce a bill giving power to Mr C. P. Chater to construct certain piers and wharves, but, after some discussion as to whether the standing orders had been complied with, the introduction was adjourned until the next meet-

ing of Council. The meeting was then adjourned until Friday, 28th instant.

ADDRESS TO THE HON. J. M. PRICE. The following copy of a letter to the Hon. like to make a few remarks regarding the J. M. Price, Surveyor-General, was handed

Hongkong, 1st Dec., 1883. Sir.-We, the undersigned residents in submitting, as far as possible, all grants of the Colony, desire to express our sympathy money out of the public exchequer to the con- with you in reference to certain articles they were sent for the approval of the Se- local newspaper and containing reflections cretary of State, He was quite aware that upon you which, in our opinion, cannot be

In doing so we beg to assure you, not tion to this vote, but he was not prepared only of our respect for your personal charto make such an objection. Although he acter, but of our complete confidence in was quite sure that His Excellency your administration of the Department of

played by Miss Clara Jecks, he addressed vote against or speak against any proposal prosecution of Regina v. Robert Frasorwhich had already received the sanction of Smith, and of the manner in which you thought that unless it was intended that this we unanimously consider was thrown upon Council was to be sham, and that their pro- you, we beg you will permit us to arrange coedings were to be a fargo, and that in fact | with your splicitors as to the costs of those they were simply there to register legal proceedings. -- We have the honour to

> P. B. C. Ayres Jno. S. Lapraik H. J. H. Tripp H. L. Palrymple C. P. Chater Fred. Richards H. N. Mpdy John Thurburn R. D. Tata D. M. Mehta H. M. Mehta H. C. Setna Dorabiee Nowrojee E. R. Belilios B. Byrnnijes J. H. Slaghek Kenneth McK. Ross A. G. Romano A. MacClymont O. D. Hottomley J. T. Chater S. B. Bhabha Jno. S. Cox Clement Palmer Fredk. T. P. Foster Frederick Stewart Fred Essex H. Matchitt Wm. N. Bain G. Allen Geo. Ferguson R. Chatterton Wilcox James Bulgin Paul Brewitt C. Brodersen A. Kruss Jno. J. Francia A. G. Morria

Alfred Lister

A. F. Alves

A. K. Travers

James H. Cox

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[In reference to the above address wo

J. A. Carvalho

natures has been so confined. We have received several complaints on this point from residents, who neither heard or saw anything of the address prior to its publication, beyond our note some time ago that it had been set on foot. These residents would have felt the greatest satisfaction in appending their names. There are just one hundred signatures attached to the above alidress, and they are ne doubt sufficient in every way for the purposes in view, comprising as they do nearly all the leading fesidents in the Colony, still, for the resson stated, we think it would have been better had the address been more widely circulated for signatures. -Ed. C. M.

> Police Intelligence. (Before H. E. Wodehouse, Esq.) Tuesday, Dec. 18.

ALLEGED CASE OF KIDNAPPING. Chun Fung, known to the police as man who secures passages for emigrants to Singapore, was charged by Chan Aking, who described himself as a Cantonese matweaver, with having kidnapped a boy, 12

Complainant stated that he missed his brother, a little boy, from Canton on the 5th instant, and came to Hongkong to look for him on the 7th. Here he met defendant, who had some time ago brought him. was desirable to increase the grant to Hongkong on the pretext of finding them the franchise, to Ireland, but Mr Chamber on Foreign Relations, but owing to pres OPIUM—New Patna, cash, ... 2565 employment as mat-weavers, and then do- lain, speaking the same at Bristol, expressed scrted them. They were then picked off the street by the Police and sent home. He asked defendant where his brother was. Defendant replied: "Come with mo: I will send you home and your brother will follow you by-and-bye." Defendant took him to a house in Third Street, and forcibly detained him until the 15th, when he managed to make his escape unobserved. He was beaten one day when he attempted to leave the house. He then went to the Police Station, and elept there two

The other evidence in the case was that of a lukong, who said the complainant first took him to a house in Third Street. where the people told him defendant had removed to house No. 162, Queen's Road. Yesterday, complainant saw defendant in the street, and pointed him out to the lukong, who arrested him.

The case was remanded until Wednesday he 26th instant.

Henry Wakefield and William McBride. scaman of H. M. S. Flying Fish, work charged with disorderly conduct. McBride was also charged with rescuing a prisoner

from the Police. Defendants and others had created a disturbance in a brothel in Ladder Street yesterday evening, and when Acting Police Sergant Smith was taking Wakefield to the Station, McBride set upon him, dealing him four or five severe blows. They had no defence to make to the Magistrate; and the first was fined \$5, or seven days' hard labour, and the second \$10, or fourteen days' hard labour.

> Canton. (From a Correspondent.) Canton, Monday evening.

The excitement spreading in the Country has resulted in the demolition of two chapels at Shok Sung, a fairly large city situate on the East River. One of the chapels belongs to the American Presbyterian Mission, and disturbances. I spoke against the ex post 12 tons each, and throwing a projectile of facto policy gome days ago and now we White and Mr Henry of the American Pres- ing about 20 feet 3 inches above the water. byterian Mission, escaped with their lives, but it seems almost a wonder how they the men is afforded by shields on the guns. did. They have brought back a few scars, to be spending the day there has gone into nected with some German Mission, The Roman Catholic priest was reported sent you last evening was written a few hours after the event happened and before any news was received. The Consular body will he also two 27 mm, and two 27 mm. is best adopted for feeling the official pulse. but there is nothedy in China, capable of feeling the pulse of the mass better than the missionary, but unfortunately his opinion suicide. is little regarded.

I am sure the policy of inaction will find no favour with our energetic representative at Reking, and it is to be hoped that something may be done before England becomes involved in the complications that must interest for German industrials. arise if this state of things continues long. I nister of Trade, after inspecting this collec-The Canton disorder requires a radical Chamber of Commerce at Berlin, the latter cure, and nothing else will bring about a to take care for its becoming known all over healthy state of things. The vagabonds the empire. The Prussian Minister of and rabble of this city, as well as bands of randum based upon a report from the thinges, are drafted into the army here, and German Consul at Tientsin, which states so at present we have a questionable peace. But the fact that the rabble, who before by dust, sea-water, &c., should not be were unarmed, are now furnished with shipped for China otherwise than is well spears and guns, constitutes a source of soldered and hermetically closed tin boxes, danger of which perhaps few are cognisant Even the soldiery now in passing a preach. The trade on the river improved at the being room call out " pull it down." anything more transpire in Canton after all days. As regards our communication with Admiral Meyer possesses a knowledge these warnings, the indignation of the Bri- the Far East, the arrivals are the Lydia. tish public would know no bounds.

the so-called proclamation which caused so capared. The departures have been the much excitement came from the Viceroy's on Nov. I for her usual route to Bhanghai. Yamen. He is said to have sent it to the The Emerable, Jaoger, barque, has taken Tartar General before Piang Vulk Lun ar the herth for Hongkong. The steamers tion of the Chinese Court," This is the Feronia, Lydia, and Iphigenia—all three of concluding sentence in The Times article of rived in Canton. He desired to receive the German Steamship Company-are ad- the lat inst. on the closing ceremony at the his assent, so that as soon as the Imperial vertised for Penang, Singapore, Hongkong, International Fisheries Exhibition. The Commissioner arrived it might be issued. So., to leave respectively No. 50, Dec. 30, praise it implies has been fully deserved by Both the Tarter Ceneral and Pang Yak latter company have declined in value and Their arrangements throughout, and Lun objected to it, but the intended proclamation was published esoterically.

NEWS BY THE FRENCH MAIL.

The M. M. steamer And arrived here early this morning, bringing London mails up to the 9th November

RUSSIA AND BULGARIA. has been arranged between Bulgaria and with internal offairs.

DESPATOR OF FRENCH TROOPS. Paris, Nov. 19 .- Nine hundred French troops have sailed to-day for Tonquin.

THE FRANCO-CHINESE DIFFICULTY. Chambers have approved a vote of credit 19 of the same year. for nine million frames on account of the Tonquin expedition. M. Ferry announced to-day that the French Government had suggested to Marquis Tseng the peaceabl surrender of Bacninh and Sontay pending a definite settlement of affairs, but that Tseng had declined the proposal. The Minister of War stated that six thousand any moment.

THE FRANCO-CHINESE RELATIONS. London, Nov. 28 .- Great excitement put him out of the way. exists in Paris, owing to the reticence of the French Government regarding the relations between France and China. ministerial statement on the subject is pected to-day.

A SPLIT IN THE CABINET. London, Nov. 28 .- Lord Hartington, speaking at a meeting vestorday, doubted the possibility of granting an extension of favourably reported on by the Committee his opinion that it ought to be granted. THE EGYPTIAN CRISIS.

(L. and C. Express). Latest Mail Advices :- Yokohama. San Fran. Sept. 23, Shan hai, Sept. Foochow, Sept. 28, Hong long, Oct. The French mail, via Naples, with the advices dated as above, was delivered London yesterday, four days early. and O. mail from Shanghal Sout. Hongkong Sept. 28, Singapore Oct. reached London, vid Venico, this day, being two days late. The rext inward mail, or P. and O. steamer Deccan, from Shanghai Oct. 11, was despatched from Aden on the

7th inst. per steamer Nizam. Mesers W. J. Simkins and Edward Dalziel, the publisher and proprietor of Judy, and Mr Sydney Smith and Mr Charles Ashley, the proprietor and publisher of the Sportsman, have appeared at the Mansion House Police-court to answer summonses issued at the instance of the Central News Company (Limited) charging them with libel. Oct. 31 Judy published a picturé representing a man sending out a telegram to the press, and over it were the words. "Bogus Telegram Agency." Underneath were a copy of a telegram sent out by the Central News on Oct. 22, purporting to describe a plot to "remove" Lord Lansdowne, and a leuter's contradiction of the same. M. Sullivan produced two skeleton tele-

grams received by the Central News on Oct. 22. The first contained sixteen words. and this was expanded by a sub-editor in the complainant's office, named Colebrooke, to a message which occupied forty-five lines of print. The second message, from Montreal, of twelve words, was expanded by the same gentleman into eighty-three lines. The case was adjourned to the 12th

A swift-cruizing twin-screw frigate, the Chicago, is being built for the American Navy by the firm of Mr. John Roach, of Chester, Ponn. The Chicago is to be built of mild steel throughout, and with wood the other to the Ruman Catholics. This sheathing, and will contain the latest imaffair will perhaps stir up our foreign re- provements in naval construction and ordinapresentatives to do something to prevent high-power breech-loaders, weighing about 450 lbs. in weight. These gons are mount. ed in projecting half-turrets on the flush are getting some grim comments on it. Mr | spar-deck, the centre of the trunnions be-The turrets are unarmoured, and the guns fight in large, open ports. Protection for The train of the forward guns will be 3 deg. across the bow, to 60 deg, abaft the beam, received in the offray, but happily nothing Similarly, the after guns—six Ginch breechserious. A native preacher who happened loading guns of about 4 tons weight, and carrying a projectile of 100 lbs, - will be mounted on each broadside on the gun-deck, trainthe hospital, He, I understand, is con- ing 60 deg; before and abaft the beam. This deck has also been so arranged that two additional 6-inch guns can be mounted at any time, if found desirable. One 6-inch to have been killed, but fortunately he also will be mounted in a recessed oun-deek port has escaped with his life. The letter I on each bow, with a train of 3 deg. across the bow to 52 dec. abaft the beam. 5-inch guns carrying a projectile of 60 lbs. complete the Chicago's main battery. There Hotchkias revolving cannon mounted in fixed bullet-proof towers.

Captain Mullenhof, of the corvette Elisubeth, which recently returned from China station, is reported to have committed

The Japanese admiral, Ito, whose visit to Berlin and other places I recently reported. has left the capital for Dresden, whence he proceeded to Vienna to inspect to Electric Exhibition there. The German Consul at Canton sent samples of such foreign Imports for the Chinese markets as may be of tion, handed it over to the syndicate of the Trade at the same time has issued a memothat delicate machinery, as well as general merchandisa, which is liable to be injured enclosed in strong wooden cases. The Hamburg correspondent writes :-

s.s., from Hongkong, &c., via London, With several hundreds of German mariners from Evidence appears to be accumulating that | the China station, whose time of service has cavalry, consisting of three officers, fifty the Exhibition was the brilliant illuminaand Jan. 80th next. The shares of the the members of the Chinese Commission. the current quotation is 88.

the most part disappeared.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 16.—The difficulty He was sent to China and Japan, and en- been awarded a silver medal for his painttered into negotiations with the Govern- ing and carving. Russia. The Minister of War in Bulgaria ments of those two countries while the The Gazetts of the 6th inst. publishes a is to be Russian, but he will not interfere Allied Armies were invading the Crimea. notification as follows :- Foreign Office, Leaving Japan with Admiral Lesofsky, the July 1, 1883 .- The following to be subtwo succeeded in reaching the Amoor in spite stituted for the notice which appeared in of English and French cruisers. Admiral the Gazette of July 13, 1883 :- The Queen Pootatin afterwards returned to China and has been been graciously pleased to ap-Japan, and concluded Treaties with both point Sir Harry Smith Parkes, G.C.M.G. countries, with China at Tientsin on June K.C.B., new Her Majesty's Envoy Ex-Paris, Nov. 26. - The Committee of the 13, 1858, and with Japan at Tokio on Aug. traordinary, Minister Plenipotentiary, and

in the Chinese colony here (New York) ter Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of China over the disappearance of Wong Chin-Foo, The notification in the Gazette of July 13 the Chinese editor, whose weekly newspa- read as follows:-The Queen has been per, the Chinese American, simultaneously graciously pleased to appoint Sir Harry censed; but, according to the statement of Smith Parkes, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., now some Chinese merchants, he is safe, and in Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary, Minthe vicinity of the city. He had vigorously lister Plenipotentiary, and Consul-General troops were ready to leave for Tonquin at aided the authorities in suppressing the to the Mikado of Japan, to be Her opium dons, and there were many who Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Ministhought that the Chinese themselves had ter Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of

rights of American citizens in Eastern coun- climinated, as it is now considered obsolete. tries, and providing a code of criminal law. with assigned penalties for offences. Such a Bill was brought forward last session, and sure of business did not pass.

The Liberté asserts that according to Go-

neral Bouet, when he left Tong-King, the Cairo, Nov. 29. -Out of 600 gendames | Expeditionary Corps was animated with a sent to Suskim, 268 have deserted on the most excellent spirit. The health of the men left nothing- to be desired : provisions of all kinds were abundant : everything was ready for the reception of the reinforcements sent from Algeria. General Bouet was high in his praise of the artillery, which, Bank, Wire, ... ... in all the engagements, had had great difficulties to surmount to establish the batteries at the points indicated by him. With regard to the Black Flags, the General told the Minister of the Marine that it was almost impossible to estimate their number. It had, however, been increased since the signature of the Hue Treaty by Annamite deserters and a number of the inhabitants of Tong-King, whom the General described as being forced to fight with them. General Bouet believed that Song Tay and Hang Hon would be rapidly captured, but that it would not be the same with Bac-Ninh. the fortifications of which are defended by well-drilled soldiers armed with good modern weapons. The Temps says it believes that it can assort that a company of baggagetrain soldiers will be sent to Tong-King. The mules and horses which it will have at its disposal will also serve to mount some of the men of the infantry of the marine. In this manner it is proposed to form squadrons of irregular cavalry, the organisation

> A telegram from Madrid reports that the British North Borneo Company was severely criticised in the Geographical Congress on the 8th inst. The meeting pronounced. however, against any Spanish settlement in the island as impolitic for the present. Considering that the whole island is now claimed by various Powers, it would be

> of which will be presided over by a few ca-

valry officers to be sent out from France

hard to find where Spain would settle. A report comes from Paris this morning that M. Lemaire, at present French Consul et Calcutta, has been appointed Consul-General at Shanghai. Our readers will remember that M. Lemaire formerly filled the post of French Consul at Shanghai. It is semi-officially stated that M. Patenotre, recently appointed French Minister to China, and who was to have departfor his post early last month, will not leave France till the final determination of

China is known. It is announced from Kiachta that the expedition under Colonel Priewalsky, into hibet, has departed, and is expected to

return in the autumn of 1885. H.E. the Marquis Tseng has accepted an invitation to the Lord Mayor's banquet this evening. He arrived in town this day to attend the same.

Admiral Ito and party, after visitingseveral of the engineering and shipbuilding establishments of Germany, have now arrived in Paris.

The following communiqué has been sent by the Chinese Legation to several newspapers :—"We are authorised to contradict in the most formal manner the memorandum according to which the Marquis Tseng had been disavowed, either by his Government or by Li Hung-chang, Vicercy Percheli. The Marqu's Taing not being under the orders of La Hung-chang, could nut have been disavowed by him." To this the Temps gives the following apparenty semi-official reply :- "In the first place M. Jules Forry never said that the Chinese Government had disayswed the Marquis Tseug. As to the denial of a disavowal ters are repeated to indicate any increase over the from Li Hung-chang, there was evidently

no question of an official disavowal having opinion of one of the highest functionaries of the Chinese Empire as to the attitude of the Marquis Tsong."

The Chinese Legation communicates the following Note to the French Press:-After the despatch read from the tribune of the Chamber of Deputies by the Preeident of the Council, the Chinese Legation thought it necessary to publish a protest at once. Since then the Imperial Government, informed of the allegation in this despatch, has ordered the Marquis Tseng to address an official Note to the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, to express astonishment at the attitude inputed to the Viceroy, Li Hung-chang, and to mark its confidence in its. Ambassador and its approval of his conduct."

Admiral Lespes has been appointed Commandant of the Naval Division in Chinese waters, in the room of Admiral Mever. who has completed his term of command. Should ginning of the week under review, but has of a change at the present juncture, as of the station.

The transport Mythe will proceed to Algeria to embark half a squadron of man, and fifty horses, who are under orders for service in Tong-King. "A special feature of the last pight of

especially on the occasion of the Royal The Hydrographical Office at Batavia has Fete, have been admirable. The Chinese issued a chart of the present condition of Court and collection looked as fresh and the Island of Krakatau, taken by two bright on the last day of the Exhibition as A JAPANESE paper is informed that the marine officers, who were charged with the it did on the first. The suffrage of the Osaka constables will be deprived of their mission to survey the Straits of Sunds; Visitors to the Exhibition was undoubtedly Council some assurance to day that when think it is a pity that it

new small islands, which have been named | gold medal has also been awarded for the Steers and Calmeyer. Krakatan has for system of lights in the Chinese Court, to which Mr Campbell drew attention in his Admiral Count Euphenius Pootatin, ment paper at the Conferences; and five more bor of the Council of the Russian Empire, gold medals have been awarded for the once Minister for Education, and for several | collective exhibits of fish, nets, shalls, years after the Crimean War Russian Naval fishing-boats, and junks. The Chinese car-Attache at London, died on the 28th ult. | penter and decorator. Teh-Ah-Kew, has

Consul-General to the Mikado of Japan, to Alarm has reigned for some two weeks be Her Majesty's Extraordinary and Minis-China, and Chief Superintendent of British In view of complications likely to arise Trade in China. Our readers will observe in China, the American Congress, it is ex. | that the alteration is the discontinuation of pected, will, early in the next session, pass the words "Chief Superintendent of British a Bill strictly defining the judicial powers Trade in China.". We believe no signiof Ministers and Consuls, defining civil ficance is to be attached to the term

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	Champion	double-screw iron frigate	2380	14	2340	Captain R. E. Tracey	Hongkong
	Champion (	corvette		14	. ,	Captain A. T. Powlett	Hongkong
	Oleopatra Contrabatos	corvette	2300		2610 .	Captain H. N. Hippisley	Hongkong
	Cockchafer	gunboat	465	4	470	LieutCom. Robt. L. Groome	Chefoo
0 ;	Curação	corvette	2383	14	2540	Captain Anstruther	Shanghai
5	Daring	composite sloop	940	4	920	Commander F. J. J. Eliott	Hongkong
0"	Esk	double-screw gunboat	360	3	340	In reserve	Hongkong
	Espoir •	gunboat	430	4	455	Commander E. H. Gamble	Chinking
o i	Flying Fish	aloop	940	4	840	Lieut. Commander Hoskyn	Hongkong
ŏ	Fly	double-screw gun-vessel	640	4	490	Commander John Hope	Manila
ŏ	Foxlound .	gunboat	450	4	- 470	Lieut. Commander McQuhae	Foochow
٦,	Kestrel	double-scrow gun-vessel	710	4	830	Commander E. Hotham	Tientsin
۸	Linnet	double-screw gun-vessel	767	5	1050	Commander J. J. Jones	Hengkong
•	Magpio	surveying vessel	803	3	600	LieutCom. Vereker	Singapore
Ž,	Midge	double-screw gun-vessel	465	. 4	470	Commander Tisdale	Hongkong
	Orontes	troopship	2570	Printer,		Captain H. G. Andoc	Hongkong
Ō	Pegesus •	composite screw sloop	1130	6	970	Commander Bickford	Singapore
0	Sapphiro •	corvette	1370	12	2360	Captain Fullerton	Nagasaki
9	Swift	double-screw gun-vessel	794	ō	1010	Commander Wm. Collins	Canton
	Twoed	double-screw gunboat	860	. 3	340	In reserve	Hongkong
n	Victor Emanuel	receiving ship	3087	20	-	Commodore Cuming	Hongkong
Ę	Vigilant	paddle desputch-vessel	835	. 2	1230	LieutCom. Maxwelle	Hongkong
ñ۱	Wivern .	turret-ship	1800	4	1450	In reserve	Hongkong
۲,	Zephyr	gunboat	430	4	530	LioutCom. G. N. A. Pollard	Hongkong
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# Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

	Name.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Guns.	N.H.P.	Captain.	Where at.
Abre	nde	Russian aviso	1100	7	300	Cantain Calana	
	rprise	American curvette	1375	G	900	Commander A S. Barbar	Vladivostock .
Erma			1000	4		Commander A. S. Barker	Corea
Esson		Russian transport American sloop	the same and the s	G	1000	Captain Koltchau	Japan
	ostai		1375	- 7	1200	Captain McCormack	Canton
		Russian gunboat	450		80	Commander Stark	Vladivostock
Ham		French cruiser	100		100	Commander Roustan	Tonquin
Iltis		German gunboat	420	8	100	Commander Klausa	Canton
Junis		American corvette	1900		Dec	Commander P. F. Harrington	Hongkong
Kers		French sloop	1182	-	375	Commander de Bearmont	Tonquin
***	ictorieuso	French ironclad	4176	15	-2214	Captain D. do la Batie	Hongkong
Lega		Spanish transport	1200	2	•	D. Ramon Valentin Buenaplata	Shanghai
Leipz		German corvetto	3000	16	400	Captain Herbig	Amoy
Latir	The state of the s	French gunboat	437	4 '	100	Captain Rouvier	Canton
	ocacy	American sloop	1100	6	. 250	Commander C. S. Cotton	Shanghai
Morg	(C	Russian gunboat	400	7	80	Commander Moltsoff	Vladivostock
o Naje	zdnick	Russian corvette	1500	p-	1	Captain Kalagerasa	Japan
e Nerp	00	Russian gunboat	400	7	80	Commander Valrandt	Vladivostock
Oprit	tehnik •	Russian corvetto	1400	-		Captain B. Ivashintsoff	Shanghai
Palos		American gunboat	306	6	200	LieutCommander Glidden	Chefoo
	acola	American frigate	3000	-	See of	Captain H. Erben	en route Singapora
	mond;	American frigate	2300	14	500	Captain Skerrett	Yokohama
Skob		Russian corvette ·	2000	100		Captain Blanodareff	Yokohama
Sobol		Russian gunboat	400	7	80	Commander Boyle	
Stose	11	German frigate	2030	19	700	Com. Glomada von Buchholtz.	Nagasaki Hongkong
Taine		Portuguese gunboat	410			Captain F. da Costa Cabral	Hongkong Macao
· Tong	DITE	Russian gunboat				Commander Heck	4 4
Tour		French steel frigate	5522	21	7466	Captain Bose	Singapore
"Frion	nphante	French ironclad	4176	14	2400	Captain Baux	Hongkong
Villa		French corvette	2400	15	675	Captain Dewatra	Amoy
Volta		French corvette	1300	1 1000	0,0	Captain Fournier	Haiphong
Vosto	and the state of t	Russian gunboat	tone	4			Canton
Wolf		German gunboat	428	1	240	Commander Molchonsky	Vladivostock
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#### SHIPPING IN CHINA, JAPAN, PHILIPPINES, AND SIAM WATERS. WHAMPOA. Vessel's Name. Plac & Rig. Dertination. Gor. Jacobine

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In port on December 12, 1883. Albatros Androklos Brit. Benedicta Gor. Centaur Gor. bgo. Chloris Faugh Balaugh Ger. 3m. so. Br. 3m sch. Formose Guiding Star Brit. bqe. Ger. bge. Taiwanfor

Johann Carl Gor. Norw. bqc. Kvik Lee Yih Brit, boo. Amer soll. Louiso" Minerya Gor. Ger. bqo. Oscar Mooyer Gor. bqc. Pelham Gor. Sm. sc. Poter -Queen of India Brit, bgo. Sin Kolga Brit. bge. Swed. bqc. Saigon

> FOOCHOW. In port on December 8, 1883. Dan. bqc. SHANGHAI.

Ger. bge. Ger. sch. Samarang

In port on December 13, 1883. MERCHANT STRAMERS. Br. st. dre. Anding British. London, &c. Breconshire Changehow British British C'foo & T'tsin El Dorado Fatchey British Londay, &c. Repairing British Glenfinlas Hae-ting Chinese Hwai Yuen Hongkong . Chinese Hongkong, de. Kaisar i-Hind British Chinese Kinng-kwan Hankow, do. Kiang-piau Chinese Kiang-yung. Chinese Hankow' British Kowshing Hongkong British Hankow, &c. Kung-wo British Lamington Mark Lane Yokohama British Orestes Pekin British London, &c. British Hankow, &c. Priam Sindh British London, &c. H'kong, &c. Franch Store Nordiske Danish Foochow British Tamsui British Wha-on British Hankow, &c. Wuchang British French Hongkong, &c. Yang-Tee Chinese MEBCHANT SAILING TESSELS. Addie E. Sleeper Amer, bog. New York Cath. Marsden Brit.

Chingtah. Chi. bqe. Emily Brit. bge. Floddon Brit. bqe. George Rembler Amer. bge. NAGASAKI, In port on December 8, 1883.

Chihaya Maru Japan, bqe. Dorothy Brit. buc. Loong Wha Brit. sch. Shanghai Brit. b. 9. Perle Brit. Satsuma Solidor bqe. Amoy Ger. Tartar

HIOGO. In port on December 8, 1883. Evangeline Queen Emma Brit. bne. Brit. bue. London S'manoura Maru Japan, bqe. Walter Siegfried Brit. bge.

**YOKOHAMA** In port on December 7, 1883. Amer. sch. Black Diamond Ger. bge. Amer. sch. E. v. Beaulieu Ger. bge. Guam Bri. bktine. Brit. ash Helena Brit. bge. Lady Brown

Amer. sch. Loretta Fish Amer. sh Mary C. Bohm Ger. sch. Russ, sch. Brit Russ. sch. Russ. sch. Brit. bgs. Russ. Russ. sch.

MANILA In port on November 16, 1883. Brit. bge. Eliza Nicholson Brit. bge. Jessie Renwick Brit. bge. New York Mary L. Stone Amer. sh. New York Span, bqe, Saigon Span, bqe, Nervion Pepita Amer. sh. New York. Sea Witch Amer. sh. Brit. bge. Liverpool

BANGKOK. In port on December 1, 1883. Siam, sh. Laid up Burra Nooriol Siam. bge. Ger. 3m. sc. Caroline Cattorelin Ital boe. China Siam. Laid up Confucius Siam. Sinm. Doretta Siam. bge. Lug Leo Envoy Falcon. Siam. bge. Java Siam. boe. Fortune.

Siam, bge. Goliah Heng Seng Siam. bon. Swed. bge. Hermine Hero Siam. Kim Chye Seng Siam. sch. K. Hock Cheong Siam. sch. Coast Siam. sch. Koon Lee Ger. 3m. nc. Louisa Siam. bge. Meridian Siam. bae. Siam. bg. Mercury M. DeutschmannGer. Sm. sc. Brit. sch.

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Trait d'Union Fch bge.

Wm. le Lacheur Brit. bgo.

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